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March 17, 2006

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Dear Sir/Madam,

Your refund request for 10511619 in the amount of \$1,257.00 has been denied .

Small entity status fee not refundable. The time has expired for the refund of this fee. A refund based on establishment of small entity status may only be obtained if a verified statement under 37 CFR 1.27 and a request for the refund of excess amount are filed within three months of timely payment of the full fee (37 CFR 1.28).

Sincerely,


RITA WHITE

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From: D. Bruce Prout
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Re: Application No. 10/511,619
Filed October 16, 2004
Entitled DISPOSABLE PRODUCT DISPENSER

File: S307:53686

SECOND REQUEST

*Correspondence: January 10, 2005 Verified Statement Claiming Small
Entity Status and Request for Partial Refund

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Jeremy Browne, et al.
Application No. : 10/511,619
Filed : October 16, 2004
Title : DISPOSABLE PRODUCT DISPENSER

Confirmation No.

Grp./Div. : N/A
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Docket No. : 53686/DBP/S307

VERIFIED STATEMENT CLAIMING SMALL ENTITY STATUS
AND REQUEST FOR PARTIAL REFUND

Commissioner for Patents
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January 10, 2005

Commissioner:

Applicant hereby claims Small Entity status as of the date of payment of the fee.

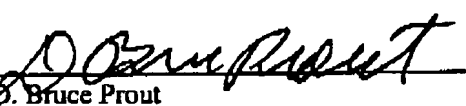
A fee in the amount of \$2,514.00 was paid on October 16, 2004, as a non-small entity status. The excess over a small entity fee is \$1,257.00.

Applicant hereby requests that a refund of the excess fee be made by check with this firm as payee. Please indicate our docket number on the check. A copy of this request is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

CHRISTIE, PARKER & HALE, LLP

By


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Filed or Issued : October 16, 2004

Entitled : DISPOSABLE PRODUCT DISPENSER

**VERIFIED STATEMENT (DECLARATION) CLAIMING SMALL ENTITY STATUS
(37) CFR 1.9(f) & 1.27(c) - SMALL BUSINESS CONCERN**

I hereby declare that I am

the owner of the small business concern identified below.

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an official of the small business concern empowered to act on behalf of the concern identified below:

NAME OF SMALL BUSINESS CONCERN : BRILLIANT BEVERAGES CONCEPTS LTD

ADDRESS OF SMALL BUSINESS CONCERN : 5 Colville Mews, Notting Hill, London W11 2AR,
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I hereby declare that the above identified small business concern qualifies as a small business concern as defined in 13 CFR 121.12, and reproduced in 37 CFR 1.9(d), for the purposes of paying reduced fees to the United States Patent and Trademark Office, in that the number of employees of the concern, including those of its affiliates, does not exceed 500 persons. For purposes of this statement, (1) the number of employees of the business concern is the average over the previous fiscal year of the concern of the persons employed on a full-time, part-time or temporary basis during each of the pay periods of the fiscal year, and (2) concerns are affiliates of each other when either, directly or indirectly, one concern controls or has the power to control the other, or a third party or parties controls or has the power to control both.

I hereby declare that rights under contract or law have been conveyed to and remain with the small business concern identified above with regard to the invention entitled DISPOSABLE PRODUCT DISPENSER by inventor(s) described in

the specification filed herewith

☒ Application No. filed 10/511,619, filed 10-16-2004

Patent No. issued

If the rights held by the above identified small business concern are not exclusive, each individual, concern or organization having rights in the invention is listed below* and no rights to the invention are held by any person, other than the inventor, who would not qualify as an independent inventor under 37 CFR 1.9(c) if that person made the invention, or by any concern which would not qualify as a small business concern under 37 CFR 1.9(d), or a nonprofit organization under 37 CFR 1.9(e). *NOTE: Separate verified statements are required from each named person, concern or organization having rights to the invention averring to their status as small entities. (37 CFR 1.27)

NAME :

ADDRESS :

☐ INDIVIDUAL ☐ SMALL BUSINESS CONCERN ☐ NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION

**VERIFIED STATEMENT (DECLARATION) CLAIMING SMALL ENTITY STATUS
(37) CFR 1.9(f) & 1.27(c) - SMALL BUSINESS CONCERN**

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I acknowledge the duty to file, in this application or patent, notification of any change in status resulting in loss of entitlement to small entity status prior to paying, or at the time of paying, the earliest of the issue fee or any maintenance fee due after the date on which status as a small entity is no longer appropriate. (37 CFR 1.28(b))

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application, any patent issuing thereon, or any patent to which this verified statement is directed.

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